



In re Application of:

TETSUO SAKANAKA

Appln. No.: 09/838,277

Filed: April 20, 2001

For: OPTICAL FREE-SPACE  
COMMUNICATION APPARATUS

03560.002797

Allowed: June 22, 2004

Examiner: D. Singh

Group Art Unit: 2633

Date: September 22, 2004

**Mail Stop Issue Fee**

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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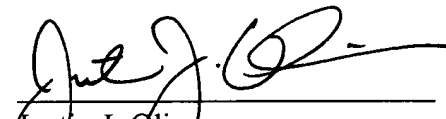
Transmitted herewith is a Rule 312 Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED                             |   |       |  |                  |                |                   |
|---|---|-------|--|------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|   | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR        | PRESENT<br>EXTRA | RATE           | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS                               | 6   | MINUS | 20   | 0                | x \$9<br>\$18  | \$ 0.00           |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS                              | 1   | MINUS | 3  | 0                | x \$43<br>\$86 | \$ 0.00           |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145/\$290 |   |       |  |                  |                |                   |
|   |   |       | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE<br>FOR THIS AMENDMENT-- |                  |                | \$ 0.00           |

- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Extension fee for response within\_\_\_\_\_ month is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_ to cover the fee under 37 C.F.R. §§1.97(c) and 1.17(p) is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. Office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should be directed to our address given below.

  
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